LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT. Academy-Joseph Santley in "A Runa-Chase's-Polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia-"Woodland," 8:15 p.m. ernan's-Reilly & Wood's Burlesquers,

Lafayette-Erroll Dunbar in "Sherlock Holmes," 8:15 p.m. National—James K. Hackett in "The Walls of Jericho," 8:15 p.m.

EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Norfolk and Washington steamers for Fort Monroe, Norfolk and all points south every day in the year at 6:30 p.m. Trains leave District line station for Chesapeake Beach at 8:30 and 9:25 a.m. Electric trains from 12th and Pennsylvania avenue for Mount Vernon hourly, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Arlington and Alexandria

every twenty minutes. Cars from station Aqueduct bridge for Arlington, Fort Myer and Falls Church haif

Steamer Charles Macalester for Mount Vernon leaves 7th street wharf at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Reisinger's Ice Cream is the Purest. \$1 gal., 50c. 1/2 gal. 235 G st. 'Phone M. 2767.

Select a Nice Lot at Pinehurst Tomorrow afternoon. Our agent will meet you at Chevy Chase Circle.

John R. Kelly, Center Market. New York roast beef, corned beef a specialty.

Housekeepers Are Delighted with the way Tolman launders household linen. Postal 6th & C sts., or 'phone M. 2590.

Bertrand L. Hayes, thirty-nine years old, who lives at 808 L street northwest, was taken to Garfield Hospital from his home last night about 9:30 o'clock and treated for a bullet wound in his stomach. The shot was accidentally fired by his nephew, Thurman Bickseller, sixteen years old, who was cleaning a small pistol. It is stated that the wound is not of a serious nature.

The Purity of Fussell's Ice Cream Is unquestioned. 'Phone 1513. 1427 N. Y. av.

Fine Bookbinding should be intrusted to the best bookbindery -that's Hodges', 420-22 11th st.

As a Culinary Adjunct

"Old Glory" is the beverage par excellence. A delicious, satisfying drink—a valuable tonic. Order a case delivered to your home. 'Phone W. 436, Abner-Drury Brewing Co.

While stepping from the motor car to the trailer near the corner of 7th and M streets northwest last night about 8 o'clock Mes-lett I. Stevens, a conductor, fell and re-ceived a fracture of his right leg. The injured man, whose home is at 400 C street northwest, was given treatment at the Homeopathic Hospital.

Hints for Your Sunday Dinner.

An inspection of the Saturday display of choice meats, Southdown Lamb, Smithfield Hams, etc., at the stalls of T. T. KEANE CO., 34-51 Center mkt. and 9 Wholesale Row, will suggest appetizing additions for your Sunday dinner. Prices will be found reasonable. 'Phone 289. Prompt service.

Smart Clothes Well Tailored, and at a low price, too, if you consult Gatchel, the fit-or-no-pay tailor, 1305 F

street. He builds business suits to order at \$25, and is busy all the time.

CITY AND DISTRICT.

Mary Nelson, colored, thirty-four years ternoon at her home. An ambulance w summoned and she was conveyed to the Emergency Hospital.

John Haywood, sixty-one years old, who lives at 132 North Royal street, Alexandria, Va., fell from a trestle while working on the new terminal station yesterday afternoon and received a painful injury. He was given necessary attention by the surgeons at the Casualty Hospital.

Leipold M. Honig, twenty-three years old, fell while getting off a street car at 8th and E streets southeast yesterday afternoon and was injured about his arms and legs. The injured man, whose home is at 1331 D street southeast, was able to go home with-

A team owned by the Adams Express Company and a wagon belonging to J. W. Stoves collided near the intersection of Pennsylvania avenue and 7th street yester-day afternoon. The express wagon escaped damage, but the other vehicle was not so fortunate. Nobody was injured.

When buying Butter-order Elk Grove .-

Funeral of Mrs. Mary Cook.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Mary E. Cook, wife of Matthew E. Cook, will be held tomorrow afternoon at her late residence, in Benning. Mrs. Cook died yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Cook was a daughter of Nimrod Farr, one of the old residents of Benning, and the owner of a large farm in that section.

Fine New Furniture at Auction.

A large lot of new furniture, brass and namel bedsteads, odd bureaus and washstands, suites, office furniture, seven fold-ing beds, lot books, new and second-hand carpets, etc., will be sold at Sloan's, 1407 G st. tomorrow, beginning at 10 a.m.-Advt.

Funeral of James A. Edwards.

The funeral of James Alex. Edwards, who died recently in Albuquerque, N. M., took place in this city yesterday from the Church of the Holy Comforter, Rev. Father Mc-Guire officiating. During the services appropriate music was rendered. The pallbearers were Messrs. Morgan, Lyddane, O'Conor, Riordan, Everett and McPhee.

Moses' September Furniture Sale. Furniture for every room under price. Special Carpet and Rug Sale. F & 11.-Adv.

Death of Miss Emma Hunt. Miss Emma Hunt, daughter of the late William H. Hunt, died at her home near Purcellville, in Loudoun county, Va., Tuesday last, after a long illness of typhoid fever. She was in the twentleth year of her age. She was a most popular young lady, and her untimely death is mourned by friends in this city, as well as by many in Loudoun. This is the second death from typhoid fever in the family this summer, and seven members have been ill of the

Savings Accounts Are Invited by banking department of Union Trust Co., 1414 F st. n.w. 2% interest paid on all ac-counts; deposits subject to check at will.— Advertisement.

Going After Rats.

Clarence M. Barklay, who has followed in the footsteps of the pled piper, left Washington last night for a trip through Pennsylvania, where he expects to annihilate thousands of rats with his dogs and ferrets.

THE STAR BY MAIL.

Those leaving the city should have The Star sent to them by mail in order that they may keep informed about Washington affairs. In most instances The Star will be at the breakfast table the next day and give all of the news from Washington of the day before. The address may be changed as frequently as desired. The price of The Star by mail daily and Sunday is 60 cents per month,

GERMAN DAY PROGRAM

DETAILS AGREED UPON AT MEET-ING OF COMMITTEE.

The plans for the celebration of German day. October 2, at Benning race track, were practically completed at a meeting of the committee on arrangements of the United German Societies, which was held at the restaurant of G. Kramm at 224 14th street southwest. The popularity of the Benning track, the accessibility of the place and the facilities for amusements offered there determined the committee in choosing that place for holding the celebration. Already 1,000 tickets have been distributed among the various German societies in the city for sale, and reports indicate that they are being rapidly

disposed of. The general program, as arranged for German day at Benning, will be as follows: The gates will open at 12 o'clock; at 1 o'clock the horse races will begin, to be run in six heats for the two races; at 3 o'clock the athletic games will be held, to consist of eleven events; at 4 o'clock will begin the base ball game between Agriculture and Gunton Temple teams; at the conclusion of these sports the crowd will assemble in front of a platform, when the Arion and the Maenner-chor singing societies will give a selec-tion; Kurt Voelckner, president of the tion; Kurt Voelckner, president of the United German Societies, will deliver a short address in German; a speaker, still to be decided upon, will give an address in English, and then the singing societies will give another selection; following this, dancing will begin, with Prof. Cauldwell's Band to furnish music; and at 9 colored as colored as colored. o'clock a cakewalk with five colored couples to participate will be the attraction. Dancing will continue until a late hour. Besides this free program, there will be numerous other entertainments on the grounds, including moving pic-

tures, flying horses, &c.

The printed program for use at the celebration at Benning will be large and complete, according to the reports made to the committee last evening. It will contain the time, place and details of each of the features of the day. It is expected that these programs will be dis-tributed largely through the city on the day before the celebration, so that those interested can see what they will see and do at Benning on October 2. was determined by the committee last night that they should spend a con-siderable sum in advertising. About 200 cards will be printed, to be displayed in

for display on large billboards. Adver-tising in the newspapers of the city was also decided upon.

Those present at the committee meet ing last evening were: K. Voelckner, acting chalrman; H. F. Warneson, secretary; C. E. Gundlach, William Feldhaus, J. Zegowitz, Ferd. Miller, G. Henning, M. Holzbeierleim, Dr. Chr. Strack, E. Franke, I. Buscher, Chr. Schmidt, M. Seobert, H. Wassman, G. Kramm, Charles E. Gerner. The committee adjourned to meet next Thursday evening at 737 7th street north-

HEBREW TEMPLE REOPENING.

west, the store of H. Wassman.

Services to Be Held This Evening-Sermon by Rabbi.

The temple of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, on 8th street near H northwest, the improvement work on which has been described in detail in The Star, will be reopened this evening at 8 o'clock and on this occasion Rabbi Abram Simon will preach on "The Joy of Worship." The congregation is expected to turn out in full force and the public has been invited to attend the services. The interior of the building has been handsomely decorated and the seating capacity of the main auditorium

increased.

The inside as well as the outside now Mary Nelson, colored, thirty-four years old, whose home is at 626 F street northwest, was taken suddenly ill yesterday articles and presents a highly-finished appearance. Additions have been erected on each side of purchased and already fenced in, adjoining the front of the building and partitioned the church. into vestry rooms and Sabbath school rooms. Three new Sabbath school rooms have been added, making, in all, nine such rooms. The two vestry rooms that originally flanked the altar have been torn out and replaced by ten pews. The most beautiful effect of the remodeling of the interior is the frescoing and the wall coloring. The fresco work is very artistic. The work of coloring the walls, ceiling and lome has been accomplished with great

> The flesh-hued tint of the walls blend harmoniously with the slightly darker coloring of the ceiling and lends to the room a peculiarly quiet and religious aspect. The mouth of the dome is circled by electric lights, which make very effective the an-cient Jewish symbol of the intersecting triangles representing the rising sun, which is at the apex of the dome. The pilars have been altered to represent marble, in order to match the altar. Additional lights have been installed with pleasing effect. Taken all in all, the purpose of those who made up the plans—the giving of a sanctified, though attractive, air to the room of worship—has been most successfully accomplished.

During the reconstruction work services were held in one of the vestry rooms. The entire expenditure on the building since its original construction amounts to about

BOYS HOLD VACATION SOCIAL.

Lively Times Tonight at Y. M. C. A

Building for Boys. That the boys of the Junior Department, Young Men's Christian Association, with their invited guests, will have a good time to the young man, touching him on his tonight is evident from the program just arm. "You've been talking about me," she tonight is evident from the program just issued by the department committee. A vacation social is to be given at the build-

a gifted entertainer, will add to the even-ing's pleasure by appropriate selections, and tempting refreshments are to be served.

The committee has asked that for this occasion the members invite their boy friends to attend. Director Chesley and Mr. J. B. Sleman, jr., say they are out for the "boys of Washington." And they will get them—they and the strong committee of enthusiasts working with them. The headquarters will be at the new "Building for Boys," as 1732 G street will be known

\$2.00 Cumberland; \$1.35 Berkeley Springs; \$1.00 Harper's Ferry and Martinsburg and return. Leave Baltimore and Ohio R. R. station 8:05 a.m. Sunday, September 24. Beautiful scenery en route.—Advt.

after October 1.

Ferryboat's First Trip.

The first regular trip of the new doublescrew steel ferryboat, built at the works of the Harlan & Hollingsworth corporation, at Wilmington, Del., for the route between this city and Alexandria, will be run about October 25.

The directors of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, the owners of the new boat, have been notified by the builders that the steamer will be ready to be turned over to the company on October 21. She will at once leave Wilmington by the outside route for this city, and should reach here not later than the morning of October 24. Manager John Callahan of the Norfolk and Washington Company is now arranging rates and schedules for the new steamer, and will, within the next day or two, have a conference with the leading wholesale merchants of Alexandria regard-

ing the rates and schedule.
It is understood the new steamer will be kept in service from about 6 a.m. until late at night, and will make a round trip each hour. The terminals, both here and at Alexandria, are ready for use.

An Unusual Chance to Buy Palms. Blackistone's annual reduction sale. 14th&H -Advertisement.

Again in Commission. The little tug James Jackson, jr., belonging to the Columbia National Sand Company, is to be put in service again on the river, and is now being overhauled and made ready to go in commission. The Jackson has been laid up for a year or two, first in the basin at the bathing beach, and later at a wharf in the Eastern branch, NEW SCHOOL IN PROSPECT.

Benedictine Sisters Purchase Brooks Mansion for Educational Purposes, It was learned late this afternoon that a large realty deal has been consummated in Brookland, D. C., by means of which another Catholic body will locate within view of the Catholic University of America. This latest acquisition to the colony of educators is the Benedictine Sisters. The society has bought the old Brooks mansion from the Congregation of Marist Fathers. Preparations are said to be already on foot for

opening the school here in October. This newest sisterhood in Washington is

This newest sisterhood in Washington is a branch of the Order of St. Benedict, one of the oldest of Roman Catholic clerical ofganizations in the world. It has its mother house in New Jersey.

No old-time residence in this city has a more interesting history than has the Brooks mansion, from which the subdivision takes its name. It was bought from the Brooks estate in 1891 by the Congregation of Marist Fathers, and was used by it until its new and complete college and seminary buildings were erected in rear of the Catholic University. The Brooks property was lic University. The Brooks property was improved by the Marists in the erection of a back building.

It was further learned that Mr. Rudolph Elchhorn represented the Sisters of St. Benedict in the transaction, the deed being in his name. The paper was executed on

This property occupies one of the most commanding sites in Brookland, and comprises a block of ground containing 75,000 square feet. While the purchase price could not be learned today, an estimate places the valuation at \$175,000 or more. It has already been anticipated in The Star that several Roman Catholic congregations and societies, in addition to those already here, would shortly locate in Washington. There are still two more who are casting about for a desirable location. One of these is thought to have located near the Dominican House of Studies. It has been stated on excellent authority that Mr. Eichhorn had been negotiating for the past three years for this and other sites at Brookland in the interest of the Benedic-tine Sisters. He had a special desire to secure this famous old property, which is thought to be ideal in every respect as a foundation for the ambitious plans the sisters have in view.

"As soon as demands warrant," said a well-informed resident to a Star reporter, "the Benedictine Sisters will erect suitable sanitary buildings, and expect to take a large part in the development of education in the capital of the nation. It has always been the desire of the Benedictine Sisters in this country to locate in Washington, and now that they have secured such an advantageous site I would not be surprised saloons and public places in the city, and also fifty four-part bills will be obtained that ere long earth will be turned on their grounds as the preparatory steps toward a series of buildings that will be a credit to the cause of education and to the city of Washington, which is rapidly becoming the center of letters in the United States."

> V. Baldwin Johnson's Coal, 612 9th St. Note-50 cts. discount for spot cash. Why waste it? No fake or trickery here.-Advt.

FESTIVAL SERVICE.

St. Matthew's Episcopal Chapel to Build Parish House.

St. Matthew's Episcopal Chapel celebrated the festival of St. Matthew last evening with a beautiful choral service. The chancel was adorned with many palms and the altar decked with red roses.

The service was conducted by Rev. Allen Griffith in the absence of the rector, Rev. Walden Myer, who is in Europe. Addresses were made by Rev. M. McKee, who served formerly as rector of this parish for ten years, and Rev. Mr. Bushby, assistant rector of St. Stephen's Church.

Full choral evensong was rendered by the boy choir of the parish. Mr. Ernest T. Winchester, visiting choirmaster of St. Matthew's, presided at the organ and conducted the music. Plans are under way for a new parish house for St. Matthew's. The lot has been

With Impure Drinking Water Use Horsford's Acid Phosphate; destroys the germs of typhoid and other fevers; makes a refreshing and cooling summer

Amphions Score a Success.

The carnival of nations and competitive fete which was given by the Amphion Glee Club Friday evening last at Green Willow Park attracted a large crowd. All the members were costumed in burlesque, portraying different nationalities. The program consisted of popular songs.
An interesting feature was the presenta-

tion of a handsome tuxedo suit to Mr. J. H. Washington, as a testimonial for selling nearly half the admission tickets. The affair was regarded as a complete success. Prof. J. Henry Lewis is the manager and musical director of the Amphions.

Visit Pinehurst Tomorrow Afternoon. Our agent will meet you at Chevy Chase Lots Sc to 15c foot -Advt.

Young Man Twice Punished.

The sight of a man being whipped in public by a woman was witnessed last night at the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 8th street southeast. It is said the woman was accompanied by her husband, and that he used his fist upon the offender after his wife had finished using a whip. "I want to see you," the woman said

Then she produced a whip and used it vigorously, striking him a number of times ing of the association, when souvenirs of vacation days, especially kodak wiews taken by members on vacation sojourns, are to be placed on exhibition. Mr. Featherstone, Interfere or protect the young man.
When the wife and husband had concluded their work they walked quietly away and their victim also disappeared.

New Baltimore & Ohio Terminal, 23d st., New York. Convenient to the hotel, theater and shopping district. Royal Blue Trains.-Advt.

M. P. Christian Endeavor Union. The Christian Endeavor Union of the Methodist Protestant Church of the District of Columbia and Alexandria, Va., will hold its first quarterly convention of this conference year this evining at 7:45 o'cleck in the Rhode Island Avenue M. P. Church, this city. The theme of the service will be "Missions." Two addresses will be delivered on this subject, one by Mr. Conlin of Mount Tabor Church, and the other by J. G. Rockwood of the North Carolina Avenue Church. The delegates to the convention will be welcomed to the Rhode Island Avenue Church by the pastor, Rev. J. M. 622. Special music and other interesting features will be a part of the program.

11th and F Sts. Star Office Branch. While you are shopping leave your advertisement for The Star at the Postal Telegraph Office of Woodward & Lothrop's, where it will be received at regular rates. Wanted Help and Rooms for Rent are 1 cent per word each incertion. cent per word each insertion.

Death of Wm. M. Frawley. Mr. William M. Frawley died yesterday at his home in Southwest Washington, after an illness of several months. Mr. Frawley had been a resident of the District more than forty years, and was one of the largest property holders in the southwest section of the city. He was born in County Limerick, Ireland, and came to this country when fourteen years of age. He lived in New York city for a time, but came to Washington within a year after landing on the shores of America and made his home here. William Frawley and his brother John were contractors and amassed a for-

Smith. Funeral services were held this morning at St. Dominic's Church, Rev. Father Heffernan officiating. The remains were interred at Mt. Olivet cemetery. Anything for Sale?

tune. He leaves a widow and two chil-dren-William Frawley and Mrs. Minnie

THE LOCAL MARKETS

POTATOES AND TOMATOES AD-VANCE IN PRICE. .

Peaches and Cantaloupes in Demand-Game Supply Short-Fish Not Plentiful.

Potatoes and tomatoes, two vegetables that are in great demand, are higher this week than they have been in a long time, The former jumped from \$1.25 and \$1.50 to \$2 a barrel yesterday, while tomatoes went as high as \$2 a box. A local dealer told a Star reporter this morning that he was unable to get any tomatoes for his trade for less than \$1.75 a box, and unless there is a decided increase in supply during the next few days the price will go still higher.

Lettuce is coming unusually fine, and fine headed stock that usually brings from 10 to 20 cents at this season is selling at 5 cents. There is a good second crop of string beans and they are correspondingly cheap, selling at 30 cents a peck. Other vegetables are plentiful and cheap.

Peaches and canteloupes are leading the fruit market, and the demand for them will continue as long as the supply lasts. The canteloupes are from Colorado and are as fine as ever reached the local market. They are to be had at from 5 to 20 cents each. While peaches are not cheap, they are quot-ed at lower rates than the local dealers had anticipated. Western Maryland growers are furnishing most of the stock for the local market. They would have been much more plentiful had it not been for the late rains damaging them before they could be picked The price depends entirely upon the quality of the fruit. Grapes from California are plentiful today and in good condition, bringing 15 cents a pound. Apples are plentiful and are to be had as low as \$1 a barrel for ordinary stock. The Game Supply.

Reedbirds and ortolan are in demand, but the supply is short. The former are selling at 75 cents a dozen and the latter are bringing \$1. Dealers are unable to get enough birds to supply the demand at these prices. The game supply will be better when there is a decided change in the weather. Wild ducks will then make their appearance in this section and gunners will have sport and be able to furnish stock to the dealers. There are no woodcock or snipe in market. Some few birds are being killed, but they are not reaching the market. There has been practically no change in the price of chickens since last week. They are no cheaper, and dealers do not except they will be any cheaper in the near future. Butchers are not as busy as they usually are at this season, the continued warm

weather having a depressing effect upon the meat market. Hams and bacon are no cheaper than they have been for severa weeks, but other meats are cheap.
Fish are not unusually plentiful, but local dealers are able to get supplies enough for their trade. Soft crabs are still to be had

at reasonable prices, but the season for them will close soon. No change in the but-ter market is noted. Eggs are selling at from 28 to 30 cents, with a tendency toward an easy market.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Driver Falls From Wagon and Wheels Pass Over Him.

A fatal accident occurred this morning about 12:15 o'clock at the intersection of 10th and R streets northwest in which the victim was William McGill, colored, thirty years old, who was employed as a driver for the Union Transfer Company. He was driving one of the teams of the company when he fell off the wagon to the pavement and was run over. It is thought he was not safely seated on his vehicle when he drove around the corner, which resulted in the ac-cident. The wheels of the vehicle passed ried to Freedmen's Hospital, where he died about 1:30 o'clock this morning. His home was at 1140 6th street northeast. Acting Coroner Glazebrook investigated the case and gave a certificate of accidental death.

Baltimore and Return, \$1.25, Via Pennsylvania railroad, every Saturday and Sunday, all trains except Congressional Limited.—Advt.

Marine Band at White House. The United States Marine Band, William H. Santelmann, leader, will give the fol-

lowing concert at the White House tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock: March, "With Shot and Shell," Bilse; overture, "Lebanon," Santelmann; reverie, "The Dying Poet," Gottschalk; sextette from "Lucia," Donizetti, Second Leader Smith, Musicians Llewellyn, Stone, Brear Giovannini and McIntire; selection, 'Mignon," Thomas; suite de orchestra "Peer Gynt," Grieg—a. Morning, b. Ase's Death, c. Anitra's Dance, d. Dance of the Imps in the Halls of the Mountain King; "The Star Spangled Banner."

\$1.25 To Baltimore and Return \$1.25 Pennsylvania railroad, Saturday and Sunday, tickets good on all trains except Con-gressional Limited, and good for return un-

til Sunday night.-Advt.

Concert at Navy Yard. The Naval Gun Factory Band will give an open-air concert at the navy yard this evening at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of J. G. Moody, leader. The following program has been selected:

March, "The New White House"....Taylor Medley overture, "Bits of Remick's Hits," Lampe Waltz, "Daughter of Love"......Bennett Characteristic march, "Happy Heinie,"

Serenade, "The Troubadour"...Laurendeau Selection, "Love's Sentinel"...... Rathbun
Medley march, "Keep a Little Cozy Corner
in Your Heart for Me"....... Morse
National air, "Star Spangled Banner"...Key

School Books, New and Second-Hand. Lowdermilk & Co., 1426 F st. Open evenings.

—Advertisement.

Anacostia and Vicinity.

For the second time in less than a month the police have been called upon to investigate a robbery committed in the store of John T. D. Pyles, 133 Monroe street. Louis Cook, who is employed as a clerk in the store, discovered yesterday morning when he opened the place for business that the money drawer had been tampered with, and that the sum of \$8.10 was missing. The theft was committed some time during the previous night. On the former occasion the money till was robbed. A set of harness was also stolen from Mr. Fyles' stable. The harness was afterward recovered.

Mr. Edward W. Dickel, who has been lately assigned to the force of the free de-

lately assigned to the force of the free de-livery station in Anacostia as a clerk, has been sent to Tacoma for a temporary period to relieve the superintendent of the station there. Carrier Smoot of the local carriers' squad, who injured his left foot with an ax while using that instrument recently, is still absent from duty, being unable to use the wounded foot.

Frederick Casseen, who lives at 2) Pierce street, found the gold timepiece lost on Harrison street by Miss Emma E, Ashe of 767 Dearborn street. Washington, the 16th 767 Dearborn street, Washington, the 16th instant. The police were notified yesterday and the owner was informed of the finding of her watch, which was valued

Royal Pilsen is Appropriately Served. Bars selling Royal Pilsen are provided special glasses in order to serve this light beer fittingly. Abner-Drury Brewing Co.—Advt.

at \$50.

Action on Resignation Postponed. Action on the resignation of Rev. Dr. S. M. Newman, pastor of the First Congregational Church, was postponed at a special

Circle and show you over the most meeting of the congregation last evening until he shall have returned to the city from his vacation. The attendance was very large and the expressions of regret over the pastor's decision to leave the church were general. at 3c. to 15c. a foot.

Advertise it in the Miscellaneous Column Elk Grove Butter is the perfection of purity.

—Advertisement.

IN BEHALF OF MRS. COOPER.

Principals' Association Asks Her Re tention at M Street High School The board of education has received a petition from the principals' association, asking the retention of Mrs. A. J. Cooper as principal of the M Street High School. The petitioners greatly deplored the per-sistent attacks on the administration of the M Street High School, and earnestly prayed that an early sewlement may be effected in such manner that the highest interest of the school may be subserved.

"Representing the colored school popula tion of the District," recited the petition, "and coming in touch with parents and friends of the children, it is fitting that we give expression to our unfaltering confi-dence in the present management of the institution

stitution.

"Mrs. A. J. Cooper, the principal, represents in her life and character all that stands for highest and purest womanhood. By her modest, unassuming bearing she unconsciously exerts a subtle yet potent influence which follows her pupils out into life and molds and shapes them into noble manhood and womanhood.

"By nature and training she belongs, intellectually. In the foremost rank of the

"By nature and training she belongs, intellectually, in the foremost rank of the educators of our youth. She inspires her pupils with faith and confidence in their own untried powers, and demonstrates that they possess capabilities common to all children. During her principalship, extending from January 1, 1902, to the present time, she has sent out from this school hove and girls who have entered the first boys and girls who have entered the first colleges and universities of the land, and have ranked with those from other schools of good repute: Two to Harvard, one to Yale, two to Brown, two to the University of Pennsylvania, one to the Western University of Pennsylvania, one to Cornell, versity of Pennsylvania, one to Cornell, two to Oberlin, one to Western Reserve, one to Rutgers, two to Amherst, two to Will-iams, one to Smith, nine to Howard, one to Lincoln—a total of twenty-eight. She has sought and obtained seventeen scholarships from higher seats of learning, thus process sought and obtained seventeen scholarships from higher seats of learning, thus present-ing opportunities to worthy boys and girls who, otherwise, could not have secured a broader culture. These young men and women with evolved, enlightened minds and hearts will enrich and honor the world by better and higher service.

"Our experience as principals assures us that with a loyal, harmonious corps, im-bued with lofty ideals for the development and uplifting of our race, the most favor-able conditions will be established and maintained in this school. Without this co-operation no principal's administration

can be a success.

"We have confidence in the equity of the board of education and feel that in the solution of this difficulty the best interests will be safeguarded. of the community will be safeguarded.
"In view of these facts the principals' association respectfully requests the retention of Mrs. A. J. Cooper as principal of the M Street High School."

Baltimore and Return,

Baltimore and Ohio R. R., Saturday and Sunday, \$1.25. All trains both ways, both days, except Royal Limited. "Hourly Service" week days,-Ad.

Tug D. M. Key Disabled.

The tug D. M. Key of the fleet of towboats of A. J. Taylor & Co of this city was brought into port yesterday afternoon with her propeller wheel broken. Under the command of Capt. Frank Kintz the Key left here Wednesday afternoon for Occoquan creek to bring a raft of pine piling to the Eastern branch. The tug had hooked on to the raft and was coming out of the creek with it when her propeller wheel struck some obstruction in the creek chan-nel and stripped the blades. The tug James O. Carter was sent to her aid, and, as stated, brought her up the river. The Key is on a railway at Alexandria being fitted with a new wheel, and will be ready for service this evening.

Folks Who Know Good Butter always buy and always praise Shuffle's Special Elgin Creamery. Try a 5-lb. box. 320 Center Mkt., B st. wing, 'phone M. 8826; also 127-29 N. Liberty Mkt., 'phone M. 3305.— Advertisement.

Mr. Galt Purchases Schooner Yacht Mr. Ralph Galt of this city has, it is stated, purchased the handsome schooner yacht Ciconia from Mr. Wilkerson, its former owner, and will use the vessel for pleasure trips on the river, bay and elsewhere. She is large enough for long crulses. The yacht is now hauled out on the marine railway at Bennett's boatyard having her hull covered with copper as protection against worms while cruising in southern waters. The Ciconia is the larg-est of the fleet of pleasure craft owned here and is an able little craft. She is a vessel of 21 tons burden, is 48½ feet long, 15.6 feet wide and 5½ feet deep. She was built at Baltimore in 1901 and is handsomely fitted out. In addition to her sail power, she is equipped with a small gaso-

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Outlet for Stagnant Water.

Gravelly creek, the stream that separates Alexandria Island and Jackson City from Virginia, is not to be blocked entirely by the high railway embankment that has been thrown across the stream just west of the railway trestle over the creek, a short distance from the old Long bridge. The rail-way builders have a large force of men at work digging the foundations in the bed of the creek for the walls of a culvert that will be built over the creek above the water. This will allow the stagnant water that has been standing in the creek for several months, and which is very odorous, to flow off, and will do away in a large measure with the extremely unhealthful conditions in the creek. The culvert will be ready for use, it is stated, in about three

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Papers in Connection With Transfer of Lafayette Square Theater.

The papers connected with the transfer to David Belasco and the S. S. Shubert Amusement Company of the Lafayette Square Opera House were filed today in the office of the recorder of deeds. Three papers were filed, an assignment from the Lafayette Square Opera House Company of the unexpired term of the lease of the property, made by Mrs. Harriet S. Blaine for ninety-nine years from January 1, 1895, which has about eighty-eight years to run; an assignment of lease from the Lafayette Amusement of lease from the Largette
Amusement Company, which was conducting the theater under a lease from the Lafayette Square Opera House Company, and
a trust from Mr. Belasco and the Shubert
company securing \$85,000, the balance of
the purchase money of the leasehold interest in the property.

By the terms of the deed of trust the new
proprietors are to pay the Largette Square

proprietors are to pay the Lafayette Square Opera House Company five notes signed jointly by Mr. Belasco and the S. S. Shubert Amusement Company, incorporated under the laws of New York, payable: \$10,000, May 5, 1906; \$10,000, May 5, 1907; \$10,000, May 5, 1909, and \$45,000, May 5, 1910.

The assignment of the lease from Mrs.

Blaine recites that the transfer is made sub-ject to an indebtedness of \$75,000, secured by a trust on the Lafayette Square Opera House property. Included in the transfer of the real estate are all the stage scenery, properties, fittings and stage curtains.

- CITY ITEMS.

De Gustibus non Disputandum est means, "There's no disputing about tastes." Magustibus non disputandum est means "There's no disputing about 'MAGUS."

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A slight blaze occured in the shed in the rear of the house of W. A. Roberts, 24th and Franklin streets, Langdon, about 12:30 o'clock last night. There was nothing found in the shed to indicate the origin of the blaze, which was extinguished by the oc-cupants of the premises after about \$30 damage had been caused. Fine New Furnishings for the Home

at auction Saturday. At 10 a. m., rugs; 11 a. m., elegant furniture; 12 noon, upright planb. Everything new and perfect, Wilson & Mayers, 1227 G st. 1329 G St., Turkish Bath, Under new management. Never closed.

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